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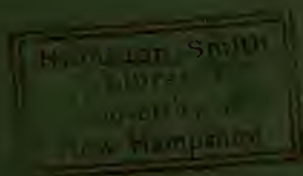
# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

HARRISVILLE, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1927



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KEENE, N. H.  
SENTINEL PRINTING COMPANY  
1927

## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator

THOMAS J. WINN

Town Clerk and Treasurer

THOMAS J. WINN, JR.

Selectmen

BERNARD F. BEMIS,

Term expires 1927

FREDERICK H. NETTLETON,

Term expires 1928

CHARLES L. PARTRIDGE,

Term expires 1929

Auditor

LOUISE E. BERGERON

Health Officer

ELWYN W. SEAVER

Cemetery Agent

JAMES J. MARNELL

Highway Agent

CHARLES E. TRASK

Supervisors of Check List

GUY W. THAYER

FRANCIS A. PENDER

MOSES C. BERGERON

Tax Collector

JOHN J. STEWART

## Constable

CHARLES E. TRASK

## Police

LAWRENCE N. NYE

## Trustees of Trust Funds

ELWYN W. SEAVER,	Term expires 1927
ARTHUR E. WRIGHT,	Term expires 1928
FRANK P. SYMONDS,	Term expires 1929

## Overseer of Poor

RICHARD DUNDAS

## Library Trustees

GUY W. THAYER	MAUDE E. TRASK
MARY A. BEMIS	

## Election Inspectors

JOHN D. GRIMES	EDGAR C. BARKER
JAMES E. PENDER	MOSES C. BERGERON

## School Board

ELEANOR WINN,	Term expires 1927
FRANK P. SYMONDS,	Term expires 1928
BERNARD F. BEMIS,	Term expires 1929

## Treasurer of School District

BERTHA C. BEMIS

## Representative to General Court

THOMAS J. WINN, JR.

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN AND TREASURER

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We, the undersigned selectmen of Harrisville, submit the following financial report for the year ending January 31, 1927.

### VALUATION OF THE TOWN BY INVOICE TAKEN APRIL 1, 1926

Real estate, land and buildings,	\$688,402 00
63 horses,	5,625 00
91 cows,	4,795 00
10 neat stock,	250 00
Fowls,	147 00
4 hogs,	40 00
1 portable mill,	1,000 00
4 gas tanks and pumps,	1,000 00
Wood and lumber,	42,386 00
Stock in trade,	53,800 00
Mills and machinery,	110,850 00
Boats and launches,	675 00
Total inventory,	<hr/> \$908,970 00

316 polls at \$2.00	\$632 00
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Tax rate, \$2.30.

### MONEY RAISED BY TAXATION

County tax,	\$1,243 62
State tax,	2,265 00
Highways and bridges,	3,000 00
Cutting brush,	100 00
Maintenance state highways,	1,466 67

Snow roads,	500 00
Town bonds,	1,000 00
Interest charges,	300 00
Library,	50 00
Street lights,	950 00
Town charges,	700 00
State roads,	1,480 60
Chesham light notes,	500 00
Cemeteries,	150 00
Cement bridges,	1,000 00
Camp road ledge,	50 00
MacVeagh road,	200 00
Ford truck,	830 00
Blister rust,	400 00
Schools,	5,887 00

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\$22,072 89

#### TAXES COMMITTED TO JOHN J. STEWART, COLLECTOR

Property tax,	\$20,906 45
Polls,	632 00

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\$21,538 45

Special tax,	\$10 00
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#### ASSETS

Balance due from 1924 taxes,	\$766 66
Due on 4 promissory notes,	31 92
Balance due on 1926 taxes,	303 57
Chesham electric light line,	2,800 00
Railroad tax due from state (estimated),	238 00
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927,	5,036 10

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Total assets, \$9,176 25

## LIABILITIES

Town bonds,	\$6,000 00
Dog licenses due schools,	177 00
Balance due school district,	1,000 00
Chesham electric light note,	1,000 00
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	\$8,177 00
Excess of assets over liabilities,	999 25
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	\$9,176 25

The following taxes for good cause shown have been abated:

Leroy Sprague, due on 1925 tax, left town,	\$2 20
Edward L. Keniston, over 70,	2 00
Nellie Newman, under age,	2 00
John Ranta, left town,	2 00
John Bargland, left town,	2 00
Hilda Bargland, left town,	2 00
Eva Lazensky, left town,	2 00
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	\$14 20

## ESTIMATES

Recommendation of the selectmen for the convenience of the voters, the selectmen give the following suggestions for the amounts to be raised at town meeting:

State tax,	\$2,265 00
County tax,	1,243 62
Highways and bridges, ordinary repair,	3,000 00
Cutting brush,	100 00
Maintenance of state highways,	1500 00
Breaking snow roads,	500 00
Town bonds,	1,000 00
Interest charges,	300 00
Library,	75 00
Street lights, village,	570 00



Street lights, Chesham,	400 00
Town charges,	800 00
State road,	1497 00
Chesham light notes,	500 00
Cemeteries,	150 00

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### RECEIPTS

#### Current Revenue:

##### From local taxes:

1. Property and poll taxes, current year,	\$21,222 88
2. Property and poll taxes, current year, special,	10 00
3. Property and poll taxes, 1924,	351 62
4. Property and poll taxes, 1925,	392 96
5. Interest on 1925 tax,	11 47
6. Interest on 1926 tax,	7 73

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\$21,996 66

##### From state:

7. Savings bank tax,	\$246 32
8. Interest and dividend tax,	2,799 59
9. For forest fire,	5 00
10. Bounty on wild cats,	40 00

##### For highways and bridge:

11. State aid for highways and bridge,	5,673 80
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##### From local sources except taxes:

12. Dog licenses,	177 00
13. Automobile permits,	1,250 96
14. John H. Bennett, for roads,	100 00
15. B. F. Bemis, use of extinguishers for railroad fire,	5 25
16. Clarence B. Seaver, tractor work,	24 96
17. Charles E. Trask, rebate on fire,	7 70
18. Charles E. Trask, use of truck on Dublin road,	19 50

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Total current revenue receipts, \$10,350 08

**Receipts other than current revenue:**

19. Ashuelot-Citizens National Bank, temporary loan,	\$8,000 00	
20. Town of Dublin, tractor hire,	5 00	
21. Cheshire County, dependent soldier,	96 20	
22. Cheshire County,	5 00	
23. John Elliot, for road,	115 00	
24. City of Keene, rebate on poll taxes,	6 00	
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		\$8,227 20
Total receipts from all sources,		<hr/>
Cash on hand at beginning of year,		\$40,573 94
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Grand total,		\$6,233 09
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		\$46,807 03

**SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS****Current maintenance expenses:**

General government:		
1. Town officers' salaries,	\$642 25	
2. Town officers' expenses,	412 32	
3. Election and registration,	48 00	
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		\$1,102 57
Protection of persons and property:		
4. Police department,	\$5 50	
5. Fire department,	50 90	
6. Blister rust,	400 00	
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		\$456 40
Health and sanitation:		
7. Health department,	\$16 00	
8. Vital statistics,	9 75	
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		\$25 75

Highways and bridges:		
9.	State aid maintenance,	\$4,489 97
10.	Breaking roads,	1,008 51
11.	Town maintenance,	4,146 50
12.	Street lighting,	960 96
13.	General expenses,	1,167 79
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		\$11,773 73
Education:		
14.	Libraries,	\$100 41
Charities:		
15.	Town poor,	\$167 07
16.	County poor,	46 80
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		\$213 87
Public service enterprise:		
17.	Cemeteries,	\$534 95
Unclassified:		
18.	Abatements refunded,	\$15 00
19.	General expenses,	45 00
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		\$60 00
Interest:		
20.	Interest on temporary loans,	\$68 95
21.	Interest on long term notes,	93 35
22.	Interest on bonds,	210 00
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		\$372 50
New construction and improvements:		
23.	State aid construction of highways,	\$2,875 67
24.	Town construction of bridges,	4,202 46
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		\$7,078 13

## Indebtedness:

25. Payment on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$8,000 00
26. Payments of long term notes and bonds,	1,500 00
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	\$9,500 00

## Payments to other governmental divisions:

27. To state,	\$2,265 00
28. To county,	1,243 62
29. To school district,	7,044 00
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	\$10,552 62

Total payments for all purposes,	\$41,770 93
Cash on hand at end of year,	5,036 10
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Grand total,	<hr/> \$46,807 03
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**DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS****Detail 1. Salaries and Expenses of Principal Town Officers:**

Edward L. Keniston, services selectman,	• \$15 00
John J. Stewart, collector,	160 00
Richard Dundas, overseer of poor,	10 00
Charles E. Trask, constable,	10 00
Thomas J. Winn, moderator,	9 00
Charles L. Partridge, selectman,	121 50
Frederick H. Nettleton, selectman,	148 75
Bernard F. Bemis, selectman,	163 00
Louise E. Bergeron, auditor,	5 00
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	\$642 25

## Expenses:

American Surety Co., officers bonds,	\$36 50
Winfield M. Chaplin, transfers,	2 70

Spalters' Book Store, supplies,	11 51
Sentinel Printing Co., reports and notices,	103 15
Walter T. Nims, printing bills,	8 11
Martin & Alexander, postage,	4 22
Samuel E. Willard, transportation,	7 00
Spalters' Book Store,	2 50
Edson C. Eastman Co., dog tags,	8 14
Edson C. Eastman Co., cash book and warrants,	12 96
Melvin W. Main, repairs on ballot box and painting signs,	1 60
Martin & Alexander, blank books,	73
Frederick H. Nettleton, expenses,	29 20
Orville E. Cain, retainer and services,	60 60
Thomas J. Winn, Jr., expenses,	5 00
Thomas J. Winn, Jr., 67 dog licenses,	13 40
Thomas J. Winn, Jr., 203 auto permits,	50 75
Thomas J. Winn, Jr., balance on 1925,	13 70
George P. Winn, dog constable,	20 00
Bernard F. Bemis, expenses,	20 55
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	\$412 32

**Detail 2. Election and Registration:**

John D. Grimes, election officer,	\$6 00
Edgar C. Barker, election officer,	6 00
Fred M. Travis, election officer,	6 00
Moses C. Bergeron, election officer,	3 00
Francis A. Pender, supervisor and expenses,	10 00
William J. Winn, supervisor,	8 00
Guy W. Thayer, supervisor,	6 00
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	\$48 00

**Detail 3. Protection of Persons and Property:**

## (a) Police department:

Martin & Alexander, padlock,	\$ 50
Lawrence N. Nye, services as police,	5 00

## (b) Fire department:

Spencer Hardware Co., extinguisher charges,	9 00
Bernard F. Bemis, fire warden,	8 50
Charles E. Trask, false alarm,	10 90
Fred H. Nettleton, fire,	22 50

## (c) Blister rust control:

John H. Foster,	400 00
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	\$456 40

**Detail 4. Health and Sanitation:**

## (a) Health department:

Elwyn W. Seaver, health officer,	\$16 00
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## (b) Vital statistics:

Thomas J. Winn, Jr., returning statistics,	6 75
L. G. Hildreth, M. D., returning statistics,	1 75
I. J. Prouty, M. D.,	25
L. F. Richards, M. D.,	1 00
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	\$25 75

**Detail 5. Highways, State Aid Maintenance:**

## State and town joint account:

Clarence B. Seaver, patrolman,	\$2,380 87
Charles H. Robinson, patching tarvia,	13 50
Fred H. Hunt, re-surfacing road,	2,095 60
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	\$4,489 97

**Detail 6. Highways, Town Maintenance:**

Charles E. Trask, breaking roads,	\$1,003 71
A. J. Morton, breaking roads,	4 80
Charles E. Trask, labor and expense on highways,	4,045 10
North East Metal Culvert Co., culverts,	95 00
Richard Dundas, labor on culverts,	6 40
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	\$5,155 01

**Detail 7. Street Lighting:**

Keene Gas and Electric Co., lights for Chesham,	\$300 60
Keene Gas and Electric Co., lights for village,	420 12
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights for Chesham,	100 20
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights for village,	140 04
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	\$960 96

**Detail 8. General Expenses of Highway Department:**

Perley S. Safford, edge for grader,	\$8 00
H. F. Nichols and Sons, Ford truck,	829 75
A. B. Palmer, insurance on truck,	49 33
N. E. Implement Co., cutting edge,	9 00
H. F. Nichols and Sons, fan belt and springs,	3 50
Robert McColl, repairs on tools, etc.,	15 00
Clarence W. Brooks, tire and tube,	38 00
Richard Dundas, cleaning gravel bank,	24 00
Roy W. Webber, trip to Keene,	3 00
Melvin W. Main, printing signs,	8 40
Edward L. Keniston, guide boards,	17 00
Richard Dundas, 34 yards gravel,	6 80
Spencer Hardware Co., tools,	21 70
N. E. Implement Co., grader blades, etc.,	60 00
Frederick H. Nettleton, lumber for snow fence,	5 00
Clifton E. Richardson, labor on roads,	12 00
John N. Clark, gas and oil,	57 31
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	\$1,167 79

**Detail 9. Education:**

## Town library:

Keene Gas and Electric Co., lighting,	\$9 00
Public Service Co. of N. H., lighting,	3 00
Wilfred Beaulieu, putting in kindlings,	1 00
Richard Dundas, kindlings,	2 00
Martin & Alexander, oil, etc. for library,	41
Guy W. Thayer, library appropriation,	50 00

Winn Bros., for chairs,	8 50
Dorothy Keyough, librarian,	26 50
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	\$100 41

**Detail 10. Charities:**

## (a) Town poor:

Richard Dundas, care of tramps,	\$105 80
Henry Dion, 1/2 cord wood,	6 00
Richard Blair, aid to Blair,	5 00
Grace A. Richardson, commissioner, aid to Fred Bingham,	33 50
Herbert A. Seaver, taking Fred Bingham to Keene,	2 50
County of Cheshire, board of Fred Bingham,	4 27
L. G. Hildreth, M. D., examination of Fred Bingham,	2 00
Richard Dundas, wood for tramp house,	8 00
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	\$167 07

## (b) County poor:

Richard Dundas, supplies for dependent soldier,	\$46 80
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**Detail 11. Public Service Enterprise:**

## Cemeteries:

James J. Marnell, care of cemeteries,	\$126 00
Boston and Maine Railroad, freight on fence,	16 35
Cincinnati Fence Co., cemetery fence,	302 65
Elwyn W. Seaver, labor on fence,	59 65
James J. Marnell, painting village cemetery fence,	6 30
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	\$534 95

**Detail 12. Unclassified:**

## (a) Abatements refunded:

Norman D. Bemis, 1925 tax refund,	\$5 00
Gladys Bemis, 1925 tax refund,	5 00
Barbara Bemis, 1925 tax refund,	5 00
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	\$15 00



## (b) General expenses:

A. B. Palmer, insurance,	\$15 00
Thomas J. Winn, expense railroad hearing,	10 00
Winn Bros., rent of hall,	20 00
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	\$45 00

**Detail 13. Interest:**

## (a) On temporary loans:

Ashuelot-Citizens National Bank, interest on note,	\$68 95
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## (b) On long term notes:

Wallace W. Lampman, interest on electric light note,	73 13
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## (c) Bond coupons:

Bernard F. Bemis,	20 00
Fidie E. White,	20 42
Corban C. Farwell,	10 00
Selden P. Tuttle,	40 00
Ashuelot-Citizens National Bank, interest,	140 00
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	\$372 50

**Detail 14. New Construction and Improvements:**

## (a) State aid construction of highways:

Charles E. Trask,	\$2,875 67
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## (b) Town construction of bridges:

Knickerbocker Cement Co., cement,	320 47
Boston and Maine R. R., freight on cement,	104 03
American Express Co.,	3 50
George Beauregard, labor on bridge,	3,774 46
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	\$7,078 46

**Detail 15. Indebtedness:**

## (a) Payment on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes:

Ashuelot-Citizens National Bank, notes,	\$8,000 00
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(b) Payment of long term notes and bonds:	
Ashuelot-Citizens National Bank, Bond No. 27,	\$500 00
Fidie E. White, bond No. 28,	500 00
Wallace W. Lampman, electric light note,	500 00
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	\$1,500 00
<b>Detail 16. Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</b>	
Jerome E. Wright, county treasurer,	\$1,243 62
Henry E. Chamberlain, state treasurer,	2,265 00
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	\$3,508 62
<b>Detail 17. Payment to School District:</b>	
Bertha C. Bemis, school treasurer, town appropriation,	\$6,887 00
Bertha C. Bemis, 1925 dog licenses,	157 00
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	\$7,044 00
Total payments for all purposes,	\$41,770 93
Cash on hand at end of year,	5,036 10
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Grand total,	\$46,807 03

BERNARD F. BEMIS,  
 FRED H. NETTLETON,  
 CHAS. L. PARTRIDGE,  
 Selectmen.  
 T. J. WINN, JR.,  
 Treasurer.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

FEBRUARY 1, 1926 TO JANUARY 31, 1927

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FEBRUARY 2 TO FEBRUARY 23

Chas. E. Trask, 182 hours labor,	\$101 92
Jas. E. Pender, 50 hours labor,	25 00
Stephen Silver, 90 hours labor,	45 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 43 hours labor,	21 50
Peter Keough, Sr., 87 hours, man and team,	87 00
Frank Lane, 24 hours,	12 00
Arvi Lane, 27 hours,	13 50
C. A. Blake, 8 hours,	4 00
C. A. Blake, 8 hours, man and team,	8 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 30 hours,	15 00
Albert Trudell, 16 hours,	8 00
Alfred Trudell, 16 hours,	8 00
Emil Sillaupaa, 8 hours,	4 00
Moses Bergeron, 6 hours,	3 00
Jack Luoma, 8 hours,	4 00
Fred Sundstrom, 48 hours,	24 00
John Saari, 70 hours,	35 00
John Stewart, 3 hours,	1 50
Vernon Barrows, 57 hours,	28 50
Harold Main, 42 hours,	18 37
John Clark, gas and oil,	52 12
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Total,	\$519 41

## FEBRUARY 26 TO APRIL 2

Chas. E. Trask, 76 hours labor,	\$42 56
Chas. E. Trask, truck 23 hours,	17 25
American Exp., express on tractor blade,	68

S. E. Willard, 11 hours, (man and team),	11 00
Henry Dion, cord of sawed wood,	12 00
O. W. Lampman, 22 hours labor,	11 00
H. F. Nichols & Son, repair on tractor,	91 20
Roy Webber, 6 hours labor,	3 00
Ralph Willard, 6 hours labor,	3 00
Standard Oil Co., 15 gals. oil,	9 00
Arvi Lane, 47 hours labor,	23 50
Peter Keough, Sr., 16 hours (man and team),	16 00
Charles Lane, 16 hours,	8 00
Albert Trudell, 8 hours,	4 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 33 hours,	16 50
Stephen Silver, 64 hours,	32 00
Wm. Hakola, 16 hours,	8 00
Alfred Trudell, 12 hours,	6 00
Chas. A. Blake, 16 hours, (man and team),	16 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 17 hours,	8 50
Total,	<hr/> \$339 19

## APRIL 3 TO APRIL 17

Chas. E. Trask, 35 hours,	\$19 60
Chas. E. Trask, truck 3 hours,	2 25
Stephen Silver, 20 hours,	10 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 3 hours,	1 50
Total,	<hr/> \$33 35

## APRIL 18 TO MAY 7

Chas. E. Trask, 116 hours,	\$64 96
Stephen Silver, 126 hours,	63 00
Edward Emery, 97 hours,	48 50
Wilfred Knowlton, 4 hours,	2 00
Chas. E. Trask, truck 68 hours,	51 00
Alfred Trudell, 65 hours,	32 50
Geo. Desilets, 18 hours,	9 00

Albert Trudell, 40 hours,	20 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 40 hours,	20 00
Peter Keough, Sr., 32 hours, man and team,	32 00
Roy Webber, 16 hours,	8 00
Grant Mason, 8 hours, man and team,	8 00
John Clark, gas and oil,	37 34
Knowlton & Stone, misc. sup.,	4 18
Nils Hansson, labor and steel for road drag,	17 05
Perley Safford, truck mirror,	1 25
Total,	<hr/> \$418 78

## MAY 8 TO MAY 21

Chas. E. Trask, 84 hours,	\$47 04
Chas. E. Trask, truck 92 hours,	69 00
Stephen Silver, 92 hours,	46 00
Edward Emery, 28 hours,	14 00
Albert Trudell, 44 hours,	22 00
Peter Keough, Sr., 40 hours, man and team,	40 00
Wilfred Cloutier, 32 hours,	16 00
Roy Webber, 84 hours,	42 00
Frank Lane, 24 hours,	12 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 40 hours,	20 00
John Clark, gas,	12 10
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	232 66
F. M. Whitney, sawing lumber for town,	3 50
Total,	<hr/> \$618 30

## MAY 22 TO JUNE 4

Chas. E. Trask, 80 hours,	\$44 80
Chas. E. Trask, truck 48 hours,	36 00
Stephen Silver, 72 hours,	36 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 54 hours,	27 00
Frank Lane, 64 hours,	32 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 80 hours,	40 00

Peter Keough, Sr., 40 hours, man and team,	40 00
Roy Webber, 80 hours,	40 00
John Beliveau, 48 hours,	24 00
Martin & Alexander, misc. sup.,	8 94
John Clark, gas and oil,	13 03
Pearson Bros., dynamite,	14 50
Nils Hansson, sharpening drills,	75
Emile Beaulieu, 23 hours,	11 50
Total,	<hr/> \$368 52

## JUNE 5 TO JUNE 18

Chas. E. Trask, 80 hours,	\$44 80
Chas. E. Trask, truck 38 hours,	28 50
Stephen Silver, 66 hours,	33 00
Roy Webber, 88 hours,	44 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 80 hours,	40 00
Emile Beaulieu, 88 hours,	44 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 64 hours,	32 00
Frank Lane, 56 hours,	28 00
John Beliveau, 27 hours,	13 50
Peter Keough, Sr., 16 hours, man and team,	16 00
Richard Dundas, 16 hours, man and team,	16 00
C. H. Kinsman, sharpening drills,	1 65
H. T. Nichols & Son, timer for truck,	90
Keene Oil Co., tractor oil,	4 00
Spencer Hardware Co., oil measure,	1 75
John Clark, gas and oil,	22 59
Richard Dundas, 82 loads gravel,	16 40
Total	<hr/> \$389 09

## JUNE 19 TO JULY 2

Chas. E. Trask, 90½ hours,	\$50 68
Chas. E. Trask, truck 50 hours,	37 50
Stephen Silver, 54 hours,	27 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 88½ hours,	44 25

Roy Webber, 84½ hours,	42 25
Emile Beaulieu, 88½ hours,	44 25
Robert McColl, Jr., 87½ hours,	43 75
Frank Lane, 80 hours,	40 00
Peter Keough, Sr., 8 hours, man and team,	8 00
Richard Dundas, 8 hours,	8 00
John Beliveau, 71½ hours,	35 75
Clifton Richardson, 6 hours, man and team,	6 00
Richard Dundas, 137 loads gravel ,	26 90
E. H. Applin, tube and rim,	10 75
Standard Oil Co., 15 gallons medium oil,	8 55
Pearson Bros., 100 dynamite caps,	2 90
Pelley Bemis, gas for tractor,	2 08
John Clark, gas,	14 58

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Total,	\$456 19
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## JULY 3 TO JULY 30

Chas. E. Trask, 64 hours,	\$36 96
Chas. E. Trask, truck, 40 hours,	30 00
Stephen Silver, 58 hours,	29 00
Peter Keough, Jr., 66 hours,	33 00
Frank Lane, 5 hours,	2 50
John Beliveau, 5 hours,	2 50
Robert McColl, Jr., 5 hours,	2 50
Richard Dundas, 41 loads gravel,	8 20
John Clark, gas and oil,	23 88

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Total,	\$168 54
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## JULY 31 TO AUGUST 27

Chas. E. Trask, 131 hours,	\$73 36
Chas. E. Trask, truck 59 hours,	44 25
Stephen Silver, 127 hours,	63 50
Peter Keough, Jr., 63 hours,	31 50
Emile Beaulieu, 131 hours,	65 50
Albert Trudell, 48 hours,	24 00

Francis Parker, 39 hours,	19 50
James Pender, 33 hours,	16 50
Gordon Bemis, 19 gals. gas,	4 56
Keene Oil Co., 10 gals. tractor oil,	7 75
Drilling and blasting, Elliott job,	67 10
Telephone New Boston,	40
John Clark, gas and oil,	23 22

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Total,	\$441 14
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## AUGUST 28 TO SEPTEMBER 10

Chas. E. Trask, 82 hours,	\$45 92
Chas. E. Trask, truck 10 hours,	7 50
Stephen Silver, 29 hours,	14 50
Emile Beaulieu, 88 hours,	44 00
James Pender, 64 hours,	32 00
Francis Parker, 26 hours,	13 00
Robert McColl, Jr., 69 hours,	34 50
John Clark, truck 3 hours,	3 00
Clifton Richardson, 8 hours, man and team,	8 00
Chas. Silver, 16 hours,	8 00
Wm. Mason, drilling E. Brown's road, and red bank,	57 48
E. H. Applin, vulcanizing tires,	2 50
Nils Hanson, repair scraper,	2 50
American Express Co., express on scraper blade,	73
Telephone to Worcester,	45
Telephone to Keene,	10
John Clark, gas,	16 10

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Total,	\$290 28
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## SEPTEMBER 11 TO SEPTEMBER 24

Chas. E. Trask, 56 hours,	\$31 36
Chas. E. Trask, truck 14 hours,	10 50
Emile Beaulieu, 47 hours,	23 50
Robert McColl, Jr., 16 hours,	8 00
Chas. Silver, 24 hours,	12 00



James Pender, 52 hours,	26 00
Roy Webber, 45 hours,	22 50
Moses Bergeron, 40 hours,	20 00
John Clark, truck 19 hours,	19 00
Wilfred Cloutier, 16 hours,	8 00
Winston Staples, 7 hours,	3 50
Perley Safford, bands for town truck,	5 00
John Clark, gas,	11 50

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Total,	\$200 86
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## NOVEMBER 6 TO NOVEMBER 19

Chas. E. Trask, 59 hours,	\$32 04
Chas. E. Trask, truck 8 hours,	6 00
James Pender, 63 hours,	31 50
James Partridge, 67 hours,	33 50
Chas. Silver, 42 hours,	21 00
Stephen Silver, 8 hours,	4 00
Roy Webber, 5 hours,	2 50
Boston Auto Tire Co., tire and tube, town truck,	28 19
Batchelor's Service Station, repair tire and tube,	2 70
Dublin Garage, repair tire,	3 50
Spencer Hardware Co., 100 lbs. nails,	4 55
Perley Safford, rear spring perch,	1 34
C. A. Blake, hauling labor,	6 00

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Total,	\$176 82
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## NOVEMBER 20 TO DECEMBER 3

Chas. E. Trask, 72 hours,	\$40 32
Chas. E. Trask, truck 6 hours,	4 50
James Pender, 64 hours,	32 00
James Partridge, 63 hours,	31 50
Chas. Silver, 60 hours,	30 00
Stephen Silver, 22 hours,	11 00
Peter Keough, Sr., 16 hours, man and team,	16 00
Peter Keough, team 16 hours,	8 00

A. M. Hart, truck 16 hours,	30 00
John Clark, gas and oil,	24 93

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Total,	\$228 25
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## DECEMBER 4 TO DECEMBER 17

Chas. E. Trask, 49 hours,	\$27 44
Chas. E. Trask, truck 15 hours,	11 25
James Pender, 42 hours,	21 00
Stephen Silver, 50 hours,	25 00
American Express Co., express on scraper blade,	3 36
Batchelor's Service Station, tire town truck,	8 80
Hill, welding on town truck,	3 50
Walter Jaquith, breaking roads, 1926,	6 96
P. F. Safford, wire for tractor lights,	90
Telephone to Worcester,	60

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Total,	\$108 81
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## JANUARY 1 TO 14, 1927

Chas. E. Trask, 81 hours,	\$45 36
James E. Pender, 95 hours,	47 50
Vernon Barrows, 8 hours,	4 00
A. M. Hart, 8 hours,	4 00
Roy Webber, 5 hours,	2 50

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Total,	\$103 36
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## JANUARY 18 TO JANUARY 31

Chas. E. Trask, 40 hours,	\$22 40
Stephen Silver, 44 hours,	22 00
Vernon Barrows, 30 hours,	15 00
Roy Webber, 32 hours,	16 00
A. M. Hart, 12 hours,	6 00
Perley Bemis, 10 gallons gas,	2 60
Dreuzza Lounder, timer and oil,	1 10
Alphonse Picord, 32 loads gravel,	4 80

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Grant Mason, 50 loads gravel,	7 50
Clifton Richardson, 154 loads gravel,	23 10
Knowlton & Stone, misc. sup.,	7 86
Spencer Hardware Co., 12 shovels,	18 00
Pearson Bros., blasting caps,	4 63
Martin & Alexander, misc. sup.,	17 83

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Total,	\$168 82
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**General Division of Expenditures:**

Breaking roads and building snow fence,	\$1,003 71
Repairs to tractor and truck,	170 95
Gas and oil for tractor and truck,	230 06
Cutting brush,	113 50
Purchasing gravel,	86 90
Purchasing tools and supplies,	94 91
Purchasing metal culverts,	232 66
Special appropriation for McVeagh road,	165 48
Special appropriation for Elliott job,	163 27
Putting in culverts and repair bridges,	186 45
General repairs to highways,	2,581 82

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Total,	\$5,029 71
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CHARLES E. TRASK,  
Road Agent.

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS, TOWN OF HARRISVILLE, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1927

Date of Creation	Trust Funds	Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Per Cent Interest	Balance of In- come on hand at beginning of year	Income Dur- ing Year	Expended Dur- ing Year	Balance of In- come on hand at end of year
Aug. 17, 1917	Mrs. Eva Marshall, Fund	Cemetery	N. H. Savings Bank (Concord, N. H.)	\$200.00	4	\$55.38	\$11.47		\$66.85
May 14, 1912	Fanny Goodnow Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	24.00	4	7.89	1.39		9.28
Jan. 3, 1913	Bancroft Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	4	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Feb. 26, 1913	Rutherford Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	64.00	4	2.88	2.88	2.88	2.88
Jan. 11, 1918	Winslow Royce Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	4	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Aug. 15, 1921	Tufts-Tuttle Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	4	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
May 18, 1923	James E. Ruffe Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	4	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Apr. 16, 1924	Silas Atwood Cemetery Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	4	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Feb. 14, 1890	School and Ministerial Fund		N. H. Savings Bank	1300.00	4	58.50	58.50	58.50	
	1/2 income to public schools			1/2 c div.					
	1/2 income to Harrisville and Chesham Churches								

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 31, 1927.

ARTHUR E. WRIGHT,  
E. M. SEAVER,  
FRANK P. SYMONDS,  
Trustees.

## REPORT OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

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Number of volumes in library,	2,937
Number of volumes added during the year,	69
Number of volumes issued during the year,	1,300

### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1924,	\$10 47
Received from treasurer,	50 00

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\$60 47

### EXPENDITURES

Paid for books,	\$53 30
Balance in hands of committee,	7 17

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\$60 47

Respectfully submitted,

GUY W. THAYER,  
MAUDE I. TRASK,  
MARY F. BEMIS,

Library Committee.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

FROM FEBRUARY 1, 1926 TO FEBRUARY 1, 1927

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Help for dependent soldier:—	
E. R. Smith and Alexander & Martin,	
For groceries,	\$20 05
Alexander & Martin, for	
Groceries for Henry Blair,	5 00
Feeding and care of tramps,	105 80
Wood for tramp house,	8 00
Padlock for tramp house,	50
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	\$139 35
Received for town of Harrisville from County Com-	
missioners,	25 05
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	\$114 30

RICHARD DUNDAS,

Overseer of Poor.

Harrisville, N. H., Feb. 1, 1927.

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

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Having examined the following accounts, to wit:—Selectmen, treasurer, overseer of poor, library committee, tax collector, clerk, trustees of trust funds, school board, school treasurer, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LOUISE E. BERGERON,

Harrisville, N. H., Feb. 11, 1927.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD AND TREASURER

### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand February 1, 1926,	\$1,187 00
Received from town treasurer, school appropriation,	6,887 00
Received from town treasurer, dog licenses,	157 00
Received from Arthur E. Wright, trust funds,	29 25
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Total amount received,	\$8,260 25

### EXPENDITURES

1. Salaries of District Officers:	
Bernard F. Bemis, chairman school board,	\$35 00
Frank P. Symonds, member school board,	25 00
Eleanor Winn, member school board,	25 00
Bertha C. Bemis, treasurer of school district,	15 00
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	\$100 00
2. Superintendent's Excess Salary:	
Henry E. Chamberlain, state treasurer, by Bernard	
F. Bemis, treasurer of Supervisory District No. 38,	\$142 84
3. School Census:	
W. H. Spalter, enumeration cards,	\$1 65
Bertha C. Bemis, taking school census,	10 00
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	\$11 65
4. Expenses of Administration:	
Frank P. Symonds, transportation to district meeting,	\$1 50
Spalter's Book Store, stationery,	1 25



Frederick T. Johnson, postage, telephone and office supplies,	5 27
Bernard F. Bemis, expenses,	10 00
Eleanor Winn, telephone and postage,	1 25
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	\$19 27

## 5. Teachers' salaries:

Pauline V. Hall,	\$505 00
Louise E. Baldasaro,	505 00
Helen R. Murphy,	923 00
Annie E. Boynton,	523 00
Beatrice G. Hickey,	852 00
M. Uriel Hickey,	376 00
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	\$3,684 00

## 6. Text Books:

American Book Co.,	\$1 64
McKnight & McKnight, geographies,	5 02
D. C. Heath & Co., constitution of United States,	6 85
American Book Co., spelling books,	2 41
Longmans, Green & Co., grammars,	7 80
Silver, Burdette Co., books,	5 07
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	\$28 79

## 7. Scholar's Supplies:

World Book Co.,	\$8 64
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	15 76
Milton Bradley Co.,	33 54
J. L. Hammett Co., balance on 1925,	11 65
Milton Bradley Co., supplies,	60 69
J. L. Hammett Co., paper and report cards,	29 83
Edward E. Babb & Co., maps and paper,	11 80
Ryan & Buker, Inc., chalk,	87
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	\$172 78

8. Flags and Appurtenances:	
C. Robert McColl, repairing flag pole,	\$5 50

9. Other Expenses of Instruction:	
Louise E. Baldasaro, express,	\$ 77
Louise E. Baldasaro, ribbon for graduation,	1 81
Edgar B. Leet, engraving diplomas,	3 50
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10. Janitor Service:	
Helen R. Murphy, janitor 24 weeks,	\$24 00
Beatrice G. Hickey, cleaning windows,	1 00
Mary Sherman, cleaning school-rooms,	35 00
Fred M. Travis, cleaning school at Chesham,	8 85
Arthur W. Blodgett, cleaning vaults,	5 00
Austin S. Weaver, cleaning vault,	5 00
Charles Silver, services as janitor,	64 00
Paul Dion, services as janitor,	54 00
William H. McGrath, Jr., services as janitor,	35 00
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	\$231 85

11. Fuel:	
Samuel E. Willard, 5 cords wood,	\$50 00
Henry Dion, 2 cords wood and sawing 7 cords,	30 50
William H. McGrath, Jr., piling 2 cords wood,	2 00
Charles Silver, piling 7 cords wood,	7 00
William Uski, 9½ cords wood,	74 00
Charles E. Sundstrom, sawing 5 cords wood,	7 50
William H. McGrath, Jr., piling 3 cords wood,	3 00
Paul Dion, piling 4 cords wood,	4 00
Henry Dion, sawing 4 cords wood,	7 00
Richard Dundas, kindlings,	2 00
Clifton E. Richardson, 3 cords wood and kindlings,	31 00
Winn Bros., load of wood,	3 50
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	\$221 50

## 12. Janitor's Supplies:

Knowlton & Stone, supplies,	\$1 25
E. R. Smith, oil, pails, etc.,	1 76
The Home Store, thermometer,	60
Spencer Hardware Co., axe, paint, brooms,	9 40
John N. Clark, brooms, etc.,	3 67
Martin & Alexander, glass, putty, oil, etc.,	7 76
Cheshire Chemical Co., towels and toilet paper,	12 60
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	\$37 04

## 13. Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Austin S. Weaver, painting and cleaning at Eastview,	\$5 00
Paul Dion,	6 00
Melvin W. Main, work on windows,	1 50
Fred M. Travis, glass, setting, etc.,	6 45
Charles A. Gilchrist, shingling north side Eastview school house,	16 00
Ames Bros., shingles, nails and pine,	34 93
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	\$69 88

## 14. Medical Inspection:

L. G. Hildreth, inspecting 90 pupils,	\$48 00
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## 15. Transportation of Scholars:

John D. Grimes,	\$157 50
Albert J. Upton,	268 50
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	\$426 00

## 16. High School Tuition:

Union School district,	\$150 00
Hancock High School,	145 11
Wilton High School, 3 pupils $\frac{1}{2}$ year,	99 45
Hancock High School, 2 pupils,	96 74
Union School District, 6 pupils,	65 70
Union School District, 7 pupils,	213 22
Peterboro High School, 1 pupil,	28 61

Wilton High School, 1 pupil,	35 00
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	\$833 83
17. Fixed Charges:	
(a)	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	\$92 50
(b)	
Henry E. Chamberlain, per capita tax,	256 00
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	\$348 50
18. New Equipment:	
Spencer Hardware Co., clock for Eastview,	\$3 50

## SUMMARY

1. Salaries of district officers,	\$100 00
2. Superintendent's excess salary,	142 84
3. School census,	11 65
4. Expenses of administration,	19 27
5. Teachers' salaries,	3,684 00
6. Text books,	28 79
7. Scholars' supplies,	172 78
8. Flags and appurtenances,	5 50
9. Other expenses of instruction,	6 08
10. Janitor service,	231 85
11. Fuel,	221 50
12. Janitor's supplies,	37 04
13. Minor repairs and expenses,	69 88
14. Medical inspection,	48 00
15. Transportation of scholars,	426 00
16. High school tuition,	833 83
17. Fixed charges,	348 50
18. New equipment,	3 50
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Total expenditures,	\$6,391 01
Cash on hand February 1, 1927,	1,869 24
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Grand total,	\$8,260 25

ESTIMATES FOR SCHOOL YEAR COMMENCING  
JULY 1, 1927

Teacher's salaries,	\$3,650 00
Books,	125 00
Supplies,	150 00
Janitors' services,	200 00
Fuel,	250 00
Janitors' supplies,	25 00
Repairs,	150 00
Nurse's services,	100 00
High school tuition,	1,000 00
Per capita tax,	235 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	140 00
District officers salaries,	100 00
Transportation of pupils,	250 00
Expense of administration,	25 00
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	\$6,400 00

BERTHA C. BEMIS,

Treasurer.

BERNARD F. BEMIS,

FRANK P. SYMONDS,

ELEANOR WINN,

School Board.

Harrisville, N. H., January 31, 1927.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Harrisville:

It is with pleasure that I herein submit my fourth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Our great problem is to maintain our schools in creditable condition and at the same time keep within the limits of our appropriations.

America's greatest problem today is to train the rising generation of boys and girls into useful citizenship. This implies a thorough preparation in the fundamentals of mental, moral and religious life. No generation of boys and girls ever faced so many temptations, trials and so many pitfalls of society as modern life presents today.

It is the duty of the home, the school and the church to train and guide the emotions of children to a greater degree than ever before.

During the past year, we have tried to keep the instruction in line with modern psychological and pedagogical methods in all our schools. All the teachers have been well prepared and trained in modern methods. They have eliminated fads and placed emphasis on the fundamentals, viz: reading, writing and arithmetic, the use of good English, both oral and written, in composition and conversation and a more extensive knowledge in geography and history.

Creditable work has been done in drawing, health activities, music and nature study.

In reading which is the basis of all other studies, during the first three years, much attention has been placed on word drill and phonics, thereby giving the pupil not only a stock of words but also the tools by which he may decipher other words.

After the third year, attention has been turned more par-

ticularly to (1) the getting of the thought from the printed page, (2) the giving of that thought to another with clear enunciation and proper expression, (3) a desire for good literature.

In writing, Houghton's system has been followed, with emphasis on neatness, legibility and a fair amount of speed.

In number work, the following standard laws have been followed: proceeding from the concrete to the abstract, from the known to the unknown, from particular to general, from problem to rule.

As far as possible, we have kept the work practical and confined to principles that enter into the needs of the ordinary citizen.

In presenting and drilling in spelling, the teachers have used every avenue of approach to the child's brain, viz. the eye, the ear, muscles of the throat, arm and hand, and powers of imagination.

The result has been an improvement in spelling, judged by the standards attained from the Ayres's tests.

Promotions in June were based on results of the following tests: Ayres's scale in writing and spelling; Charters's diagnostic language test; Stanford's achievement test. These were supplemented by frequent tests given by the teacher and a few by the superintendent. With these results were taken into consideration the ranks of individual pupils throughout the year.

On the above basis, the following number of pupils were promoted in the respective schools:

Grades	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII
Chesham,		2	1	3	5	1		
Village Grammar,					5	7	10	9
Village Primary	5	10	10	9				
Eastview,	1	2	1	2	3	1	1	1
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Totals,	6	14	12	14	13	9	11	10



## TEACHERS FOR YEAR 1925-1926

Chesham,	Miss Beatrice Hickey
Village Grammar,	Miss Louise Baldasaro
Village Primary,	Mrs. Pauline Wells Hall
Eastview,	Miss Helen R. Murphy

All the schools closed a successful year in June. The teachers were conscientious and did faithful and effective work.

At Harrisville Grammar were the following special activities during the year: contest in arithmetic, prizes awarded to Vaino Ala and Florence Savrigue; contest in Health.

Books were loaned from State Library for supplementary reading.

Special exercises were held by schools of the town as follows: Thanksgiving, Christmas, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday and Memorial Day.

A play was given by scholars of village schools. Proceeds were to go to pay expenses of graduation and the purchase of a gong for school building and drinking fountain.

Since September the modern drinking fountain has added to the sanitation and comfort of the pupils and the gong has been useful in increasing the punctuality of pupils at the beginning of school sessions.

Also since September, the pupils have employed some projects to earn money for electric lights. A goodly sum has been realized and with a little help from the district, the lights may soon be installed. There is a pressing need for these lights on cloudy days. Especially in the winter, on such days the rooms are quite dark and this causes much eye strain.

## HEALTH ACTIVITIES

Miss Ruth S. Langille, school nurse, reports the results of her three weeks work in Harrisville as follows:

"In spite of Xmas programs, the excitement of rehearsing and getting ready for vacation my three weeks in Harrisville



have been very successful I hope. Although the weather has been very severe and the going bad I have made visits to practically all the homes (and several visits to some). I can say that I was kindly received without an exception. In fact the people seem to welcome the program and are very co-operative and interested. I have examined 80 school children with results indicated below.

"We have put on a T. and A. clinic which came out O. K. in spite of the zero weather much to my relief. I have been so afraid that it was not advisable in this weather but the parents were so enthusiastic about the clinic rates and the great benefit of having clean healthy throats to avoid winter illnesses that they literally took things into their own hands and had me make the necessary arrangements at once. However, I had to ban several youngsters who caught cold in connection with the Christmas festivities.

"Therefore I now have twenty promised for a Spring clinic, also eight more who are considering it, out of a possible 34. I have 6 promised to correct vision out of a possible 10 and practically all the parents are in favor of a dental clinic.

"The parents and children are co-operating in a weight building campaign, although the children in these schools do not seem so badly under weight as children in some schools.

"I have done some health teaching in the schools with class room talks, stories, etc. I even taught a hygiene class combining four classes in one when the lessons happened to be right in line with the work. The class of people in Harrisville seemed to be very pleasant to work with there are great possibilities in the town.

"Summary of defects and corrections:

80 pupils examined.

29 underweights.

15 notices of same to parents.

13 defective vision.

10 notices to parents.

3 corrections.

- 55 defective teeth.
- 30 notices to parents.
- 22 corrections.
- 50 hypertrophied tonsils.
- 34 notices to parents.
- 12 corrections.
- 36 adenoids.
- 24 notices to parents.
- 12 corrections.
- 19 unvaccinated.
- 19 corrections.
- 1 anaemic (under doctor's care).
- 1 skin disease (under doctor's care)."

### GRADUATION

On the evening of June 10th a class of nine pupils were graduated from the Harrisville Grammar School. An interesting program was given as follows:

### PROGRAM

March	
Prayer,	Rev. S. B. Long
Welcome Song,	School
Salutatory,	George Finnie
Class History,	Agnes Beaulieu
Class Bibliography,	Doris Willard
Joytime of The Year,	School
Class, Prophecy,	Beatrice Eméry
Class Will,	Doris Willard
Childhood Days,	School
Class Doctor,	Harry Blair
Advice to Seventh Graders,	Blanche Record
Response,	Florence Lavigne
Forth We Go,	Class
Presentation of Gifts,	Dorothy Keough
Valedictory,	Aili Barglund

Presentation of Diplomas,  
 Farewell Song,  
 Closing Prayer,

Supt. F. T. Johnson  
 School  
 Rev. S. B. Long

## GRADUATES

Aili I. Barglund,  
 Agnes M. Beaulieu,  
 Harry E. Blair,  
 Beatrice M. Emery,  
 George W. Finnie,  
 Dorothy M. Keough,  
 Blanche D. Record,  
 Edith E. Sturtevant,  
 Doris E. Willard.

Class Motto: Up, Up and Still Up—Success.

Colors: Pink and White.

Flower: Rose.

All the parts were well written and delivered in a pleasing manner before a large audience of parents and friends. The entire program reflected credit on the teachers of the school.

At the beginning of the present school year, some changes in the teaching staff occurred.

Miss Baldasaro, who had taught faithfully and well our Grammar School for three years, resigned in order to become the mistress of a home. Mrs. Hall who had taught successfully the Primary School for two years decided also to confine herself to the duties of the home.

Miss Helen Murphy was transferred from the Eastview to the Harrisville Primary. Miss Uriel Hickey, a graduate of Keene Normal, was assigned to Eastview. Miss Annie Boynton, a teacher of extended and successful teaching, was assigned to the Harrisville Grammar. Miss Beatrice Hickey retained her old position at Chesham. With the exception of an epidemic of whooping cough at Eastview, all the schools are running smoothly and with promise of a successful year.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation of the co-operation of teachers and parents, and support given me and the schools of Harrisville by the members of the school board.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK T. JOHNSON,  
Superintendent of Schools.

Marlboro, N. H., Feb. 4, 1927.

# **ROLL OF HONOR**

Pupils neither absent nor tardy

## **FIRST TERM**

Ruth Alexander	Edson Lundstrom
Vaino Ala	*Florence Lavigne
*Alexander Balban	Eino Luoma
Aili Barglund	Aino Luoma
Wilfred Beaulieu	Lawrence McClure
Thomas Babneau	William McGrath
Martial Balban	Raymond Nye
Dorothy Blair	Jennie Nelson
Fred Blair	Robert Richardson
*Paul Dion	Willard Richardson
Beatrice Emery	John Rapsis
Ernest Gilchrist	Josephine Rapsis
Mary Grimes	Charles Symonds
Ruth Grimes	Beulah Sturtevant
Dorothy Keough	John Silk
Mary Keough	Harold Trask
Ellen Lingren	*Maurice Travis
Nathaniel Lounder	Florence Weaver

## **SECOND TERM**

Alexander Balban	Florence Lavigne
Aili Barglund	John Lavigne
Walter Balban	Nathaniel Lounder
Francis Beliveau	Stanley Rapsis
Thomas Babneau	Fannie Seppa
Paul Dion	Maurice Travis

## **THIRD TERM**

Vaino Ala	Wilfred Beaulieu
Alexander Balban	Agnes Beaulieu
Martial Balban	Francis Beliveau

Pearson Callahan	Aino Luoma
Paul Dion	William McGrath
Beatrice Emery	Jennie Nelson
Walter Hakala	Stanley Rapsis
Mary Keough	John Silk
Florence Lavigne	Charles Symonds
John Lavigne	Frank Salanen
Sarah Luoma	Daniel Trudelle
Eino Luoma	Maurice Travis

\*Perfect attendance for year.

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#### STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1925-1926

Total length of school year in weeks,	36
Different pupils registered during year,	108
Non-resident pupils,	4
Half-days schools were in session,	344
Half-days schools were closed for holidays, etc.,	16
Average membership in the schools,	92.72
Average attendance,	87.32
Percent of attendance for Harrisville,	94.17
Percent of attendance for the district,	92.12
Percent of attendance for the state,	94.63
Number of pupils not absent or tardy during year,	4
Visits made by school board members,	15
Visits made by superintendent,	62
Visits made by citizens,	118

## VITAL STATISTICS

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To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HARRISVILLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
Apr. 22	Roger Leonard	M	L	Fred L. Sundstrom	Jennie Rasmus	Truck driver	Dublin	Finland		
May 29	Lorraine M.	F	L	Wilfred Record	Orilea Dancause	Textile worker	Ontario, Canada	Quebec, P. Q.		
May 10	Russell Paige	M	L	John N. Clark	Bernice Keough	Merchant	Harrisville	Walpole		
Oct. 5		M	L		Margaret E. McGrath			Chesham		
Oct. 7	Forrest E.	M	L	Ory Lammpan	Agnes D. Larro	Farmer	Brandon, N. Y.	Marlboro		
Oct. 1	Ann May	F	L	Frank Callahan	Frances Weymouth	Textile op.	Harrisville, R. I.	Appleton, Wis.		
Oct. 29	Henry Albert	M	L	Ernest Chamberlain	Florence E. Clark	Laborer	Chelmsford, Mass.	Millford		
Oct. 31	Theresa Olga	F	L	Herman I. Thayer	Emma L. Beaulieu	Laborer	Haverhill	Harrisville		
Nov. 22	Rita Helen	F	L	Wilfred Cloutier	Lavina McDonald	Textile op.	Marlboro	Wilton		



MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HARRISVILLE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1926.

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	*Condition	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom mar- ried.
1925 June 20	Harrisville	George W. Hall	Harrisville	32	Machinist	Worcester, Mass.	William C. Hall Hattie Cone	B'ring'n Fl'ts NY Hartford, Vt.	1st	Rv. S. B. Long
		Vinal Pauline Wells	Derry	22	School teacher	Newfane, Vt.	Frank Wells Grace Pender	Wardsboro, Vt. Middlebury, Vt.	1st	Marlboro
1926 Apr. 8	Troy	Harry Waldo Pitman	Harrisville	23	Weaver	Somerville, Ms.	Lawrence Pitman Gertrude Locke	Charleston, Ms. Finland	1st	Rv. K. A. Julian
		Katharine Mary Nelson	Harrisville	18	Textile op.	Harrisville	Oscar Nelson Mary Hietamaki	Finland	1st	Troy
June 9	Harrisville	Gustine P. Field	Keene	69	Retired	N'field F'ms, Ms.	Horace F. Field	Northfield Farms Montague, Mass.	1st	Rv W E Bill'ham
		Clara June Judge	Keene	43	Nurse	Lowell, Mass.	Mary Gage Robert Judge	Scotland Scotland	1st	Dublin
June 19	Chesham	Milton Clarke Nichols	Worcester	23	Electrical	Worcester, Mass.	Jane McWilliams C. Arthur Nichols	Worcester, Mass. Worcester, Mass.	1st	Rv. M. Francis
		Alice Marilla Hudson	Worcester	27	Payroll clk	Worcester, Mass.	Ella May Clarke Henry K. Hudson	Rushford, Minn. Manchester	1st	Chesham
June 26	Chesham	Leon St. Peter	Harrisville	26	Mill op.	S. Royalston, Ms.	Maud Snow Joseph St. Peter	Canada East Jaffrey	1st	Rv. M. Francis
		Mary Alice Podmore	Harrisville	21	Mill op.	Ft. Edwards, NY	Olive Jolly William Podmore	El'z'b'thown NY Champion, Mich	1st	Chesham
June 26	Chesham	Charles Ellsworth	Mineville, N Y	22	Mill op.	Ft. Henry, N. Y.	Lillie Jane Blair John Ellsworth	Mineville, N. Y. Port Henry, N.Y.	1st	Rv. M. Francis
		Ethel Podmore	Harrisville	23	Mill op.	Ft. Edwards, NY	Hattie Nokes William Podmore	Champion, Mich. Champion, N.Y.	1st	Chesham
Aug. 9	No. Walpole	Moses C. Bergeron	Harrisville	26	Laborer	Harrisville	Lillie Jane Blair Fred Bergeron	Canada Canada	1st	Rv. J. J. Foley
		Louise E. Baldasaro	No. Walpole	26	School teacher	No. Walpole	Parmala Beliveau Lizzerie Baldasaro	Italy Italy	1st	No. Walpole
May 6	Bennington	Patrick Marnell	Harrisville	29	Mill op.	Lowell, Mass.	Rose Larno James Marnell	Lowell, Mass. Ireland	1st	C. H. Smith, J.P.
		Margaret Howard	Gilsum	29	Mill op.	Gilsum	Mary Butler Henry Howard Flora Cady	Sullivan Stoddard	2nd	Bennington

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HARRISVILLE, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.			
July 23	Carban C. Farwell	85	5	5	Harrisville	M	W	Harrisville	Harrisville	Darius Farwell	Mary Bryant
Aug. 28	Emma Brown	69	5	5	Chesham	F	W	Chesham	Nelson	Cornelius Town	Lucy Seaver
Oct. 30	Sarah Gould Royce	85	9	20	Harrisville	F	S	Haverhill	Harrisville	Herman Thayer	Emma Beaulieu
Nov. 10	Theresa Thayer		10		Harrisville	F	W	Marbleton, Que.	Compton, Que.	Norman Main	Diana Hazelton
Nov. 26	Melvin Main	62	9	12	Marbleton, Que.	M					

\*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOMAS J. WINN, JR.,  
Town Clerk.



